

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 190

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to recognize Vice Mayor Mike Proffitt on the occasion of his retirement.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should specially recognize those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of public service; and

WHEREAS, Mike Proffitt is one such estimable person, who served for eight years as vice mayor of the City of Newport, from which position he recently retired; and

WHEREAS, throughout his exemplary tenure as vice mayor, Mike Proffitt has distinguished himself as a public-spirited citizen of the highest order and as an exceptional asset to his community; and

WHEREAS, Mike Proffitt previously served as a coach and an educator, in which positions he touched the lives of many students; and

WHEREAS, a strong advocate for the citizens of Newport, Vice Mayor Mike Proffitt is wholly committed to the noble precepts of public service that have earned Tennessee recognition as the Volunteer State, and he should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we commend Mike Proffitt for his honorable and astute service to the people of Tennessee as vice mayor of Newport, salute his unswerving commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to

the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.